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**TRANSMITTAL OF CORRECTED APPEAL BRIEF
(PATENT APPLICATION--37 C.F.R. § 41.37)**

1. Transmitted herewith, is a Corrected Appeal Brief in this application, with respect to the Notice of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief mailed November 3, 2008.

2. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of other than a small entity.

3. FEE PAYMENT

The filing fee of \$540.00 was paid on October 17, 2008.

4. FEE DEFICIENCY

If an extension and/or fee is required, and if any fee for claims is required, charge Deposit Account No. 19-4972.

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Pursuant to the Notice of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief mailed November 3, 2008, Applicant submits this corrected Appeal Brief supplying a corrected Statement of the Status of Claims.

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Status of Claims

Claims 1-14 have been cancelled. Claims 15-29 are pending and the subject of this appeal. Claims 15-17, 19 and 24-29 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. §102(a) as being anticipated by Diamantopoulos (WO 01/74263). Claims 18, 20, and 21-23 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103 as obvious from Diamantopoulos in view of Acker (U.S. Patent 5,833,608).